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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Indulis Gruzins
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Serial No.: 09/996,480

Filed: November 20, 2001

Assignee: Arch Chemicals, Inc.

Title: POLYOLS CONTAINING CARBOXYL GROUPS AND
PRODUCTION THEREOF

Docket: 102123-200

Art Unit: 1625

Examiner: Taylor V. Oh

Conf. No.: 8458

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
TO FILE AMENDED APPEAL BRIEF UNDER §41.37(d)**

Mail Stop Appeal Brief - Patents
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

1. This is a petition to extend the 1-month period for filing an Amended Appeal Brief in the above case which expired on December 16, 2007, for a total of three (3) months to March 16, 2008.

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2. The Amended Appeal Brief in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

- ☒ is being filed concurrently herewith.
- ☐ has been filed.
- ☐ will not be filed. A File Wrapper Continuation Patent Application is being filed simultaneously herewith.

3. Calculation of Extension Fee

Requested Extension	Large Entity Fee	Small-Entity Fee
<input type="checkbox"/> One month	\$120.00	\$60.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months	\$460.00	\$230.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months	\$1,050.00	\$525.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months	\$1,640.00	\$820.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months	\$2,230.00	\$1,115.00
Extension Fee Total		\$1,050.00

- ☐ An extension for [insert # of MONTHS] months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ [insert FEE ALREADY PAID] is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$ [insert FEE NOW DUE]

4. Small Entity Status

- ☐ A verified statement claiming small entity status is enclosed.
- ☐ was filed in prior application [insert SERIAL #] and such status is still proper and desired.

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5. Fee Payment

- ☒ Charge Account No. 23-1665 in the amount of \$1,050.00. One additional copy of this document is enclosed, if mailing.
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Respectfully submitted,
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